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"The Busy Corner."

ALWAYS THE BEST OF EVERYTHING FOR THE LEAST MONEY!

ORDERING BY MAIL, OUGHT TO BE PLEASANT SHOPPING TO OUT-OF-TOWN BUYERS. WE MAKE IT AN IMPORTANT POINT TO PLEASE, QUICK REPLY ON ALL ORDERS. WE PURCHASE \$500 OR MORE, AND YOU LIVE WITHIN THE RADIIUS OF 100 MILES. WE PAY EXPRESS CHARGES.

If you wish to enjoy a rich treat don't fail to attend Madame Yale's grand lecture on the "ART OF ATTRACTIVENESS," which takes place at the National Theater Tuesday, May 14th, at 2:30 p.m., under our own supervision. Tickets ready for distribution.

We Study the Interest

OF EVERY ONE OF OUR PATRONS, KNOWING IT TO BE THE STRAIGHT WAY TO ADVANCE OUR OWN. THE SATISFIED CUSTOMER IS THE BEST EVIDENCE OF A SUCCESSFUL TRADE. CONSUMERS CAN ALWAYS SEE AND REALIZE HOW MUCH UNDER THE COST OF PRODUCTION WE SOMETIMES SELL CERTAIN GOODS, OTHERWISE THE CONTINUED CROWDING OF OUR STORE WOULD EVENTUALLY CEASE.

Common-Sense Talk on

COMMON-SENSE WEARING APPAREL, AND THAT IN A COMMON-SENSE WALKING SKIRT. FIRST SUCH SKIRTS ARE MADE BY SEWING A DOZEN AND WOMEN WHO HAVE WHEN THEY ARE CONVERTED AND SHOWER PRAISES ON THEIR COMFORT. WE ARE SHOWING A LARGE VARIETY OF BETTER ASSORTMENT OF EVERYTHING THAT EVERY ONE TELLS US THAT OURS IS THE LARGEST STOCK AND THE LOWEST-PRICED ONE IN THE CITY.

100 Fine All-wool Plaid-back Walking Skirts, finished with 8 rows of stitching, in both light, medium and dark Oxford grays. Positively worth \$3.50. For..... **\$1.98**

Women's strictly All-wool Oxford Gray Plaid-back Skirts, made with full flare, stitched flounce, finished with 15 rows of stitching. No one can duplicate this skirt under \$5.00..... **\$3.98**

Women's Fine Oxford and Black Melton Cloth, Common-sense Walking Skirts, made with 10-inch stitched flare flounce—the most perfect fitting garment on the market—we have sold hundreds of this number and have never failed to give satisfaction. Every length from 38 to 44. \$7.50 value. For..... **\$5.50**

Women's Fine Scotch Thibet Wool Skirts, in black and grays, absolutely faultless in fit and finish. This skirt has been admired and bought by every one who has come to make a purchase of this kind. Instead of \$10.00 we have marked them..... **\$7.98**

Extra Size Muslin Underwear

FOR EXTRA-SIZE WOMEN, WE HAVE MADE IT A POINT, EARLY IN THE SEASON WHEN WE PLACED OUR ORDERS, TO LAY IN A SUPPLY OF THE OUT-SIZE GOODS, AND IN DOING SO WE SURELY MADE MANY NEW FRIENDS AMONG THOSE THAT HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO GET SUITABLE OR FITTING LINE.

Women's Short Skirts, made of good quality muslin, deep umbrella ruffle of cambric, with 8 fine tucks, deep hem, yoke band and tape strings. Special..... **59c.**

Women's Skirts for stout women made of good quality muslin, with deep umbrella ruffle of cambric, finished with 10-inch cambric ruffle, 10 fine tucks, deep hem, extra dust ruffle and French band, 42 and 44 length..... **98c.**

Women's Gowns, made extra size, in cambric, muslin and nainsook, high and square neck, made with yoke of embroidery, tucks and insertion and hem-stitching, some trimmed with Val. lace, being made extra long and wide, sizes 17, 18, 19 neck..... **98c.**

Women's Gowns, made for extra stout people, made of fine cambric, with either high or V neck, yokes of fine tucks, torchon and embroidery insertion..... **\$1.25**

Women's Gowns, made extra size, made of good quality muslin, finished with yoke of tucks at neck and sleeves and neat embroidered edge, sizes 17, 18 and 19..... **75c.**

Women's Drawers, extra size for stout women, made with deep hem, five fine tucks, yoke band and tapes..... **39c.**

Women's Drawers, made extra size, in cambric and muslin, made with deep hem, two rows of tucks, 7 in a cluster; another style has six fine tucks, embroidered ruffle, yoke band and tape..... **50c.**

Women's Drawers, made double, extra wide, made of good quality muslin, finished with 9 fine tucks, deep embroidery ruffle, yoke band and tape..... **85c.**

Knit Underwear.

A Few More Special Values in Summer Knit Underwear.

BOYS' EGYPTIAN BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—SHIRTS LONG AND SHORT SLEEVES—DRAWERS KNEE LENGTH—SIZES, 24 TO 34. EACH..... **19c.**

WOMEN'S SWISS RIBBED VESTS—LOW NECK—NO SLEEVES—TAPE—NECK AND ARMS—3 FOR 25c. OR 2 FOR 35c. EACH..... **12½c.**

WOMEN'S 4-THREAD LACE VEST—FANCY AND PLAIN—RIBBED—LOW NECK AND ARMS—SIZES 24 TO 34. EACH..... **12½c.**

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FIFTY-TWO GRADUATES

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE SPENCERIAN BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Academy of Music Crowded With

Friends of the Students and

the Institution.

The Academy of Music is crowded to its

capacity this afternoon with the parents

and friends of the pupils of the Spencerian

Business College, and of the institution

itself, the occasion being the thirty-fifth

annual graduating exercises. Those who

will receive diplomas are: Mary Ione

Pierce, Michigan; Lucy Evelyn Price, Eng-

land; Carter Claggett, Maryland; Elmer

Leonard Evans, Maryland; Howard Mar-

ion Fulton, District of Columbia; Ellis

Stewart Kelley, South Dakota; Nathan

Godlove Hedding, District of Columbia;

Philip Seligman Herman, District of Co-

lumbia; James Allen Hopner, Wisconsin;

Albert Sydney Johnston, Maryland; Fung Wang

Ping, China; Charles Andrew Sale, Vir-

ginia; Gilbert Ord Sommersville, Pennsylv-

ania; John Walter Snyder, Maryland; Ed-

ward Ford Stevens, Virginia; Silas Wrisley

Brown, Maine; Albert Henry Clark, New

York; Benjamin Smith Favorite, Ohio;

Patrick John Wren, New York; John Ad-

chase Loughran, District of Columbia;

John Austin Openshaw, Alabama; Luke

Thompson, Virginia.

Shorthand and writing—Lillie Amelia

Branche, North Carolina; Octavia Staples

Ellis, Virginia; Louise Herman Klotz, Dis-

trict of Columbia; Elizabeth Mary Leeper,

New York; Ellen Lee Coverell, Virginia;

Mary Ione Pierce, Michigan; Charles Le-

onard Evans, Maryland; Ellis Stewart Hal-

ley, South Dakota; Philip Seligman Herman,

District of Columbia; Fred. Arthur Mitch-

ell, Texas; Charles Walter Roth, Louisiana;

May Holcomb, New York; Mary Alice

Skinner, Virginia; Bessie Belle Taylor,

Georgia; Joseph Bath, Louisiana; Charles

William Bradley, Massachusetts; John

Cawthon Browning, Maryland; James Wil-

lam Butcher, District of Columbia; Bert

Cupperman, Illinois; Brainerd H. Dobson,

South Carolina; George W. H. H. H. H. H.

Emmons Karl Ellsworth, New York; Hugo

Edward Frank, Michigan; Charles Wil-

son, Virginia; Leroy Salts-

bury, Virginia; George A. Sedgwick, Iowa;

Edward Ward, District of Columbia.

Program to Be Rendered.

The exercises began at 3 o'clock, with

music by Weber's Orchestra, and the pro-

gram to follow calls for the following fea-

tures, interspersed with musical selections:

Location of the College, George W. H. H. H.

Thomas's salutatory, Charles Edwin Smith,

Indiana; ladies' salutatory, Mary Alice

Skinner, Virginia; gentlemen's valedictory,

Charles Lucien Bovee, District of Colum-

bia; ladies' valedictory, Louise Herman

Klotz, District of Columbia; presentation of

the class of 1901, Mrs. Sara A. Spencer; a

Court Lady in War Time, a study in expres-

sion by young ladies and gentlemen; a

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ALONG THE RIVER FRONT

RANDALL LINE FLAGSHIP INSPECT-

ED THIS MORNING.

Extensive Alterations to Naphtha

Launched for the Fish and

Oyster Trade.

The steamer Harry Randall, flagship of

the Randall line, which has been under-

going an overhauling for the past three

weeks, was inspected this morning by

Inspector Wright made the examination as

to hull, boiler, engine and other machin-

ery. The inspection was satisfactory in

every particular, and the steamer will

be licensed to carry freight and a thousand

passengers on each trip she makes during

the summer. It is expected the Randall

will resume her place upon the Naphtha

route tomorrow, relieving the steamer

Wakefield, which is next to be overhauled.

The large naphtha launch Iola, belonging

to Mr. E. Hagenbuckner of this city, is at

present being refitted for extensive altera-

tions. The floor of the boat and the can-

opy top have both been lowered a foot,

which is calculated to make her much

more comfortable for passengers. The

work will be housed in all around with

woodwork is of mahogany, and will

present a very rich appearance. It is ex-

pected the boat will go into commission

by the middle of June.

The supply of herring at the 11th street

wharf is quite heavy this morning, but

the receipts of shad were light. Country

people are now taking advantage of the

low price at which herring are selling to

stock up for the summer. The market this

morning was brisk, and the fish sold at the

following prices: shad, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per

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